## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

(Case No. P043D2C3C)

In the Application of:

FARMWALD et al.

Serial No: 09/492,982

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Title: METHOD OF OPERATING A MEMORY

DEVICE HAVING A VARIABLE DATA

INPUT LENGTH

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the telephone interview of November 21R2800 kindly amend the application as follows: 2000, kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly delete claim 175 (without prejudice).

Kindly **amend** the following claims:

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